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1. EMBASSY RECENTLY LEARNED THAT SEVERAL NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION GRANTEES ARE PRESENTLY CONDUCTING STUDIES ON THE BOLIVIAN ALTIPLANO REGARDING HIGH ALTITUDE EFFECTS ON PREGNANCY. THE EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT IT OUGHT TO KNOW OF THE PRESENCE OF USG-SPONSORED PEOPLE IN BOLIVIA SINCE SOME OF THEIR ACTIVITIES COULD BE POLITICALLY SENSITIVE.

2. WE WOULD, THEREFORE, APPRECIATE RECEIVING A LIST OF ALL PERSONS IN NSF PROGRAMS PRESENTLY IN BOLIVIA AND THEIR ACTIVITIES. WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO BE INFORMED OF ANY FUTURE PROJECTS OR STUDIES IN ADVANCE OF THE ARRIVAL OF THE RESEARCHERS.
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